Prosecutions for trespass started by the Forest Rangers at Aramboly and Azhakiapandipuram in 1106.

127. **MR. N. A. SUNDARAM PILLAI** (*Tovala*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of prosecutions started by the Forest Rangers at Aramboly and Azhakiapandipuram for trespass against the ryots in the year 1106;

(*b*) the number convicted and the number acquitted; and

(*c*) the amount of money realised from impounding cattle, sheep, etc., at Aramboly and Azhakiapandipuram pounds at the instance of the Forest subordinates of those localities?

MR. A. KUMARA PILLAI (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): (*a*) 11.

(*b*) Number convicted—8.
Number acquitted—Nil.

(*c*) Aramboly—Bh. Rs. 32.
Azhakiapandipuram Bh. Rs. 28-4-0.

Inclusion of the Mailam pakuthi in the Kottarakara taluk.

128. **MR. E. V. KRISHNA PILLAI** (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have taken any steps in pursuance of the promise made by the Dewan in his reply to the representation made by Mr. P. R. Paramesvaran Pillai at the 27th session of the Sri Mulam Popular Assembly regarding the inclusion of the Mailam pakuthi in the Kottarakara taluk?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): The Mailam pakuthi has been transferred from the Pattanapuram to the Kottarakara taluk with effect from the 1st Kumbham 1107 (*vide* Notification Dis. No. 115/32/Revenue, dated the 23rd January 1932, published at page 535, Part I of the *Gazette*, dated the 26th January 1932).

Fall in the price of copra and cocoanut oil.

129. **MR. P. S. MAHOMED** (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they have made any enquiry regarding the fall in the price of *copra* and cocoanut oil;

(*b*) whether they have made any enquiry as to the place where cocoanut oil is consumed; and

(*c*) whether they have made any attempt for finding out markets in India for the consumption of our cocoanut oil?

MR. A. KUMARA PILLAI (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): (*a*) The fall in the price of *copra* and cocoanut oil is due to the general economic depression and consequent slump in trade, and so no special enquiry has been made regarding it.

(*b*) No enquiry has been made as to the places where cocoanut oil is consumed. But from the returns received from the Travancore Chamber of Commerce and from customs houses, it is seen that

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